Vietnamese Red and Green Cabbage Salad

Serves 8. This recipe provides each person with nearly two "5 A Day" servings

This crunchy, colorful salad will go well with holiday turkey or with an assortment of festive Asian dishes, and is completely fat-free due to its juice- and vinegar-based dressing. Because it uses cabbage, it will stand up to being on a holiday buffet longer than a lettuce salad would. To save time, buy the cabbage and carrots pre-cut.

small head of green cabbage, chopped (about 5 cups) Salad: $\frac{1}{2}$ cups purple cabbage, chopped 2 carrots, shredded 1 cup large cucumber, seeded and diced 1 1/2 cup bean sprouts 1/2 cup fresh mint leaves, chopped 1/2 cup fresh cilantro, chopped Dressing: 1/4 cup fresh lime juice 3 Tbsp. sugar ¹⁄₄ cup water 2 Tbsp. white vinegar or rice wine vinegar

Whisk together the dressing ingredients and set aside. Toss the salad ingredients together and gently stir in the dressing. Serve.

Nutritional Analysis Per Serving:

- 57 calories, 13 grams carbohydrate, 1 gram protein, 0 grams fat, 0 grams saturated fat, 0 milligrams cholesterol, 21 milligrams sodium, 2 grams fiber
- 4% calories from fat
- 1 ½ "5 A Day" servings per person